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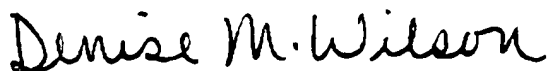
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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/863,223

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The application is not yet associated with our customer number, 42717. Please process the attached Revocation/New Power of Attorney as soon as possible and issue a Notice of Acceptance.

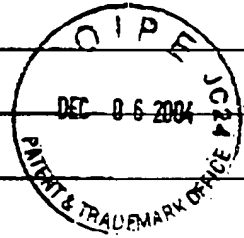
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